



FIRST PLACE AWARDS . . . Holding their silver bowl trophies designating first places in various fields of Marina District competition are Junior club members, from left, Mmes. Joseph Boylan, international affairs; Charles Bennett, international hosting; Mrs. Kenneth Boulter, president, Build-a-Better-Community; Allen Hofferber, philanthropy; and standing, Mrs. Lee Clotworthy, president-elect.

Four First Places

Juniors Capture District Honors

Torrance Juniors attending the Marina District Convention, C. F. W. C., Junior membership, held at The Lafayette Hotel, Long Beach, April 28 and 29, reported back to the Club jubilant with the results of the convention. The Torrance Junior Woman's Club was awarded three first prizes for Build-A-Better Community, International Affairs and Hosting, and Philanthropy, along with a first place for Mrs. A.F.R. Ewalt, Co-ordinator. Second place honors were won for Art, Fine Arts, which include Drama, Literature and Music and Home activities.

Third place trophies included Americanism, Armed Forces and Veterans Services, Youth, and Press Book awards. The first prize winners received engraved silver bowls and the second and third place holders received certificates. Presentation of the awards at the luncheon on Saturday, April 29, was the climax of the busy, two day convention during which the members participated in the workshops, reported on all phases of the past year's work, elected and installed the officers for Marina district for the coming year.

Installed were Mrs. Robert



WIN RECOGNITION . . . Other honors captured by the Junior Woman's club in district competition last week were claimed by, left seated, Mmes. Robert Davis, press book; Lee Clotworthy, Americanism; Elgin Logsdon, home; D. E. Moore, youth activities. Standing, from left, Mmes. Wade White, fine arts, Robert Kerber, fine arts; and Ger-son Jacobson, art.

H. Baida, Pacific Palisades, president; Mrs. Leonard Comer, Redondo Beach Dianas, first vice president; Mrs. Glenn Nee, Hawthorne, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Wallace Trout, Hawthorne, treasurer; Mrs. James C. Supple, Redondo Beach Dianas, press and publicity; Mrs. Hugh Walker, Holly Park, Federation Extension chairman; Mrs. John Hansford, Redondo Beach, ways and means chairman.



SHARON KAY BYERS . . . May Bride-Elect

Engagement Announced

May 7 has been chosen as their wedding date by Miss Sharon Kay Byers and Ted Stracener. The marriage will take place at the Faith Christian Assembly of God Church. The announcement of their daughter's wedding plans is being made today by Mr. and Mrs. Robert N. Byers, 20110 Talisman St.

Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stracener, 1427 W. 223rd St., Torrance.

Miss Byers and Mr. Stracener are both students at the Ambassador High school in Hermosa. Mr. Stracener is employed by an oil company.

Mother-Daughter Affair

Annual Mother - Daughter banquet of the Waleria Community Church will be held, Friday at 6:30 p.m. in the social hall. Serving on the committee are Marianne Anderson, chairman, Helen Herrera, June Zuber, Neva Wands and Virginia Jung.

One of the highlights of the evening will be the disclosing of secret mothers between the World Friendship Girls and members of the Women's Society.

Birthdays

Serving as the centers of attraction on a beautifully appointed table were cakes for Mr. Ira Hon, and son, Earl, at a family dinner party recently held at the Hon home at 4256 W. 182nd St. in honor of their natal days which are only a day apart.

At Ceramic Show

Mrs. William Sale and Mrs. J. R. Allison of Glenburn Ave., accompanied by Mrs. Alex Bates of Anaheim, formerly of North Torrance, attended the ceramic show at Disneyland and had lunch at the Disneyland Hotel recently.

Larry Briggs Serves As Evaluator

With Gardena Toastmaster, Larry Briggs, as guest evaluator of the entire meeting, the Lamplighters' Toastmistress Club held their regular meeting Wednesday evening at the Western Club Cafe.

Table Topics Mistress, Vir Murphy, called upon Beatrice Wolfe, Fanchon Garner, Ruth Valleveni, Patricia Tyrrell and Pearl Stewart for practice in reading aloud, selected articles from the International Toastmistress Magazine. Table Topics Trophy was won by Patricia Tyrrell.

After a report given on the Southwest Region Toastmistress Convention to be held June 11 and 12, Hotel Del Coronado in San Diego, Club Representative Pearl Risher was voted delegate and President Jeanette Kurtz was voted alternate delegate to the convention.

Presenting the theme, "April Showers," Toastmistress Pearl Risher called upon the following members to give motivating speeches: Lue Holland, "Water for Your Health's Sake;" Jean Schrader, "The Value of a Name Remembered;" and Virginia Miller, "Be a True Champion." Best Speakers' Trophy was awarded to Lue Holland.

Closing thought was given by Betty Adams.

Michigan Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Robbins of Flint, Mich., will leave for their home Tuesday after a three weeks visit here with their daughter, Mrs. W. H. Gardner and family, 3222 Sonoma. During the visit here, Mr. and Mrs. Robbins drove to San Francisco where they spent four days with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gockel. They also visited Disneyland and had dinner at The Polynesian.

B&PW Meeting

Torrance Business and Professional Women's club held its regular meeting at Eddie's Chicken House, 15410 S. Normandie Ave., on April 18.

Mrs. Robert Lewellen, president, conducted the regular business meeting and presented the speaker, Marjorie Sewell whose subject was "Simply Scandalous, My Dear."

McAllister, director of patient Services at the hospital, and co-ordinator of the Auxiliary.



CAROL ALLEN . . . Engaged

Carrol Allen, Max Wade Set Nuptial Date

Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Allen, 1570 W. 210th, are this morning announcing the engagement and future wedding plans of their daughter, Carrol, to Max Wade, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wade, 1556 W. 210th St.

The announcement climaxes an eight year neighborhood romance.

The wedding will take place Aug. 6 at the Torrance First Baptist Church.

The bride-elect will be graduated in June from Narbonne High school.

Her fiancé, a Narbonne graduate of 1958, is employed by Western Airlines.

Harbor Auxiliary Installs Officers

At an installation meeting held at the Plush Horse recently Mrs. Charles L. Grider, a native daughter of Los Angeles, was again chosen by her colleagues of the Harbor General Hospital Auxiliary to fill a second term as president. Mrs. A. H. Harley who is a special advisor was the installing officer.

Elected to the other chairs on the executive board were Mrs. Rollin Ring, first vice president; Mrs. Frank Braugh, second vice president; Mrs. Everett Allen, third vice president.

Re-elected to their offices were Mrs. Richard Barry, recording secretary; and Mrs. Charles Pfeffer, Mrs. Jean Melching will be corresponding secretary, assisted by Mrs. Stuart Charnley.

A. L. Thomas, administrator of Harbor General Hospital, was presented with a check to be used for the benefit of patients at the hospital.

Special guests were Dr. Dirk TeGroen who is Medical Director of Harbor General Hospital and Dr. E. M. Broen, who is an Honorary Member of the Auxiliary. Dr. Floyd Corbin, Phd, was

guest speaker of the day and his topic was "How to Relax in a Busy World." Dr. Corbin gave special techniques for neutralizing tension, improving health and enhancing personality. His talk was quite apropos since the members of the Auxiliary, besides having fundraising projects also keep busy in the hospital with the usual hospital bed care for the patients.

Mrs. Charles Groh and her committee go through the hospital washing and setting the hair of the lady patients who are confined and Mrs. G. T. Bucher is much welcomed by the male patients as she goes through the wards shaving the men who cannot shave themselves. These and many other personal services were spoken of by Mrs. Marguerite Broen

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Unit Will Honor Ken Uyedas

North Torrance Branch of the California National Fuchsia Society will hold a pot-luck dinner meeting at McMasters Hall, 174th and Yukon, on May 10 at 6:30 p.m.

Board members will bring chicken and members and guests will bring their favorite casserole, a salad o. vegetable, or dessert and their own table service. The club will furnish beverages and rolls.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Uyeda will be honor guests. Mr. Uyeda has contributed many trees for the beautification of Torrance. The honor guest is active with the Lions club and its youth activities. Mrs. Uyeda assists her husband in his work and is also a Red Cross worker. All friends of the Uyedas are especially invited.

After the dinner, Loren Paulsen will present a program of 3D slides of past flower shows. Since the annual show is set for June these slides will be of special interest.

Plants will be presented to eleven new members and to two birthday celebrants, Mrs. Frances Donahue and Mrs. Frank Hinkel. There will also be a plant table.

Birthday Event

Michael Zupparde, who celebrated his 17th birthday last Wednesday, was complimented at a patio luncheon given by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Zupparde, 1532 Post Ave. Guests were L. C. Copper, Marty and Martha; Mrs. George Robinson and Robert and Fran; and Michael's grandmother, Mrs. Iacono of Wilmington.

Returns to East

Miss Lucy Wheatley left last Saturday to return to her home in Palmyra, Nebraska, after spending a month enjoying the balmy California climate. Miss Wheatley is the aunt of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hutton, 1339 W. 229th St. with whom she visited.



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